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Original Applicant:	Joseph K. Garretson
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For:	LOUDSPEAKER SOUND MODULATION APPLIANCE
	Pasadena. California

# REQUEST FOR ADDING NON-JOINED INVENTOR UNDER RULE 1.45 AND 35 U.S.C. 116

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Change the entity of inventorship from Joseph K.

Garretson to Joseph K. Garretson and Lewis C. Iby.

Enter the substitute Declaration herewith in lieu of the original Declaration.

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#### REMARKS

Herewith in support of the requested change of inventorship under Rule 1.45 and 35 U.S.C. 117 are the following papers.

- (1) statement of Joseph K. Garretson, constituting the verified statement of facts;
- (2) substitute Declaration of Joseph K. Garretson and Lewis C. Iby, the original, and joint inventors of the subject matter now claimed in the above application; and
- (3) the consent of the Assignee, Scosche Industries, Inc.

The accompanying papers are believed to be self-explanatory and to provide the proper basis for adding joint inventor. The error of nonjoinder inventorship arose without deceptive intention on the part of the original applicant.

The petition fee is enclosed. Kindly charge any additional fee to Account 08-0118.

Respectfully submitted,

William W. Haefliger Attorney for Applicants Registration No.17,120

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#### CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE SCOSCHE INDUSTRIES, INC.

SCOSCHE INDUSTRIES, INC., a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, having its principal office and place of business at Oxnard, California 93033, being the Assignee and/or Assignor of record of the entire right, title and interest of Joseph K. Garretson in and to the above application (see copy attached) hereby consents to the change of inventorship to JOSEPH K. GARRETSON and LEWIS C. IBY, jointly.

Dated 5/21/04

SCOSCHE INDUSTRIES, INC.

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#### STATEMENT OF JOSEPH K. GARRETSON

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Sir:

- I, JOSEPH K. GARRETSON, declare, and say as follows:
- (1) That I believe that I was erroneously designated as inventor of the subject matter described and claimed in the above-identified application:
- (2) That such designation as inventor occurred through error and without any deceptive intention, as shown by the following facts:
  - (a) that at the time of preparation and filing of the above application, through

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inadvertence I did not consult in detail
with LEWIS C. IBY, to inventorship of
the invention,

- (b) that in early May, 2004, I reviewed the invention in detail and now believe LEWIS C. IBY, had a considerable role in the conception of the invention;
- (c) I now believe that the two of us,

  JOSEPH K. GARRETSON and LEWIS C. IBY,

  are the first, joint, and true inventors

  of the subject matter disclosed and

  claimed in said application, Serial No.

  10/807,041.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of a resulting patent.

Dated 3/21/04

Joseph K Garretson 1550 Pacific Ave. Oxnard, CA 93033



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#### STATEMENT OF LEWIS C. IBY

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Sir:

- I, LEWIS C. IBY, referred to in the accompanying Request for Adding Non-Joined Inventor, state as follows:
- (1) That I am a citizen of the United States of America.
- (2) That I have read the accompanying Statement of JOSEPH K. GARRETSON and concur in its recitations.

Dated 5/21/04

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Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.						
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